



# Conservation Contractor APPLICATION

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person (if business) \_\_\_\_\_

Are You and/or Your Business Insured and/or Bonded? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

County of Business Location or County of Residence \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Extension \_\_\_\_\_

Mobile Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Are you interested in attending habitat management training classes? ☐ Yes ☐ No

1. If you were on the list previously, have you received contacts generated from the service? (first time applicants – disregard) ☐ Yes ☐ No Comments? \_\_\_\_\_

2. In order to accept a job, please indicate if the number of acres makes a difference to you:

\_\_\_\_\_ I am interested in acreage of any size

\_\_\_\_\_ I am only interested in projects **less than** \_\_\_\_\_ acres (fill in number)

\_\_\_\_\_ I am only interested in projects **more than** \_\_\_\_\_ acres (fill in number)

**Where are you willing to work?** – By adding your name/organization to the Conservation Contractors' database, you may be contacted by landowners and individuals interested in hiring your services to do work on public or private land. The database will be posted on the MDC web page [www.missouriconservation.org](http://www.missouriconservation.org) where it will be available to many individuals. In order to provide quality service to landowners, please consider seriously where you are willing to travel. People using the database need to know if you are able to work in their county. The web search will be revised so landowners can search by primary county, secondary counties, and statewide.

3. List the **primary** county (only one) where you currently or plan to operate? \_\_\_\_\_

4. Your **secondary** counties will generally be those counties surrounding your primary county. List your **secondary** counties. (5 maximum) \_\_\_\_\_

5. Are you willing to travel statewide? ☐ Yes ☐ No

6. If you do not want to work statewide, check all counties you are willing to work in:

ADAIR	___	DALLAS	___	MACON	___	REYNOLDS	___
ANDREW	___	DAVIESS	___	MADISON	___	RIPLEY	___
ATCHISON	___	DEKALB	___	MARIES	___	SALINE	___
AUDRAIN	___	DENT	___	MARION	___	SCHUYLER	___
BARRY	___	DOUGLAS	___	MCDONALD	___	SCOTLAND	___
BARTON	___	DUNKLIN	___	MERCER	___	SCOTT	___
BATES	___	FRANKLIN	___	MILLER	___	SHANNON	___
BENTON	___	GASCONADE	___	MISSISSIPPI	___	SHELBY	___
BOLLINGER	___	GENTRY	___	MONITEAU	___	ST CHARLES	___
BOONE	___	GREENE	___	MONROE	___	ST CLAIR	___
BUCHANAN	___	GRUNDY	___	MONTGOMERY	___	ST FRANCOIS	___
BUTLER	___	HARRISON	___	MORGAN	___	ST LOUIS	___
CALDWELL	___	HENRY	___	NEW MADRID	___	STE	___
CALLAWAY	___	HICKORY	___	NEWTON	___	GENEVIEVE	___
CAMDEN	___	HOLT	___	NODAWAY	___	STODDARD	___
CAPE	___	HOWARD	___	OREGON	___	STONE	___
GIRARDEAU	___	HOWELL	___	OSAGE	___	SULLIVAN	___
CARROLL	___	IRON	___	OZARK	___	TANEY	___
CARTER	___	JACKSON	___	PEMISCOT	___	TEXAS	___
CASS	___	JASPER	___	PERRY	___	VERNON	___
CEDAR	___	JEFFERSON	___	PETTIS	___	WARREN	___
CHARITON	___	JOHNSON	___	PHELPS	___	WASHINGTON	___
CHRISTIAN	___	KNOX	___	PIKE	___	WAYNE	___
CLARK	___	LACLEDE	___	PLATTE	___	WEBSTER	___
CLAY	___	LAFAYETTE	___	POLK	___	WORTH	___
CLINTON	___	LAWRENCE	___	PULASKI	___	WRIGHT	___
COLE	___	LEWIS	___	PUTNAM	___		
COOPER	___	LINCOLN	___	RALLS	___		
CRAWFORD	___	LINN	___	RANDOLPH	___		
DADE	___	LIVINGSTON	___	RAY	___		

***All fees, charges, and terms will be negotiated between the client and service provider. The Missouri Department of Conservation does not guarantee any payment for services rendered, nor accept responsibility for injuries or losses suffered while performing activities in connection with this service.***

7. Please provide a list of any specialized equipment you own or have access to:

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8. Please put a check (✓) mark by those practices or activities you would be interested in helping private landowners in Missouri install on their property:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Brush-hogging                                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Installing wetland water structures            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Building wildlife nest boxes                        | <input type="checkbox"/> Levee/dam construction                         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Burning - planning prescribed or controlled burns   | <input type="checkbox"/> Mulching (machine)                             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Burning - conducting prescribed or controlled burns | <input type="checkbox"/> Native plants - landscaping                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Buying/milling cedar                                | <input type="checkbox"/> Native plants - seed/bare roots/pots           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Buying/milling walnut                               | <input type="checkbox"/> Planting trees/shrubs - direct seeding         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Buying/milling other timber                         | <input type="checkbox"/> Planting trees/shrubs - hand planting          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cave gating   | <input type="checkbox"/> Planting trees/shrubs - machine                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Constructing brush piles                            | <input type="checkbox"/> Ponds - construction                           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Constructing brush piles - aquatic                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Ponds - stocking (fish)                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Consulting forestry assistance                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Protecting stream banks - bank sloping         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Controlling aquatic vegetation - chemical           | <input type="checkbox"/> Protecting stream banks - cedar tree revetment |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Controlling aquatic vegetation - mechanical         | <input type="checkbox"/> Protecting stream banks - rock blanket         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Controlling herbaceous vegetation - mechanical      | <input type="checkbox"/> Renovating ponds (e.g., rotenone)              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Controlling herbaceous vegetation - chemical        | <input type="checkbox"/> Seeding - cool-season grasses                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Controlling/clearing woody vegetation - bulldozer   | <input type="checkbox"/> Seeding - crops                                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Controlling/cutting woody vegetation - chainsaw     | <input type="checkbox"/> Seeding - legumes                              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Controlling/cutting woody vegetation - clipper      | <input type="checkbox"/> Seeding - native forbs/wildflowers             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Controlling/spraying woody vegetation - herbicide   | <input type="checkbox"/> Seeding - native warm-season grasses           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Discing - light                                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Seeding - small grains                         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Discing - heavy                                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Soil sampling                                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fencing - barbed wire                               | <input type="checkbox"/> Timber Stand Improvement                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fencing - electric                                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Trenching (pipeline)                           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fertilizer application                              | <input type="checkbox"/> Well plugging                                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Grading/shaping (dirt work)                         | <input type="checkbox"/> Wells - installation & drilling                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Haying - cool-season grasses                        | <input type="checkbox"/> Wetland management/development                 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Haying - native warm-season grasses                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Wildlife damage control - trapping             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Installing livestock water - spring development     | <input type="checkbox"/> Wildlife damage control - equipment/supplies   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Installing livestock water - solar pumps            | <input type="checkbox"/> Wildlife damage control - technical service    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Installing livestock water - tanks and/or pipelines |   |

9. Please list any professional certifications (e.g., pesticide applicator, certified wildlife biologist, certified arborist, etc.)

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10. Please list any formal training or workshops you have attended that potential clients might be interested in, such as MDC workshops, etc.

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11. When revisions are complete, individuals desiring to locate a contractor will be able to search the database by "specialty" in order to help them accomplish their objectives and improve their search. What would you say your specialty is? Or, how do you want to be grouped? (i.e., where you have the most experience or success with projects). Another way to think of this is similar to the yellow pages in the phone book. How would you want to be listed?

**Select no more than three (3)**

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Forest Management          | <input type="checkbox"/> Pond Construction              | <input type="checkbox"/> Wildlife Damage Control |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Native Grass Establishment | <input type="checkbox"/> Wetland Mgmt./Development      | <input type="checkbox"/> Wildlife Nesting Boxes  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Prescribed Burning         | <input type="checkbox"/> Farming (Ag. Cropping Systems) | <input type="checkbox"/> Landscaping Services    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Timber Sale Inventory      | <input type="checkbox"/> General Land Clearing          | <input type="checkbox"/> Map/Plan Development    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Engineering Services       | <input type="checkbox"/> Livestock Systems Mgmt.        | <input type="checkbox"/> Stream Bank Restoration |

12. Please list what you perceive as limiting factors to growing or expanding the services you provide to landowners?

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13. Please provide any suggestions regarding what MDC could do to help promote conservation contractors?

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**Feel Free to Add Extra Pages if Necessary**

**Complete and Return to:** Missouri Department of Conservation  
Conservation Contractors  
Private Land Services Division  
P.O. Box 180  
Jefferson City, MO 65102-0180

**If you have questions regarding this questionnaire,  
please contact the Private Land Services Division at 573-751-4115.**